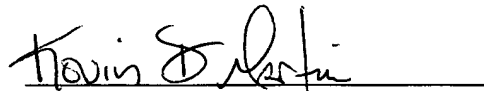


**REMARKS**

By this election and preliminary amendment claims 1-12 have been elected, claims 13-16 have been canceled as being nonelected, the specification has been amended to correct a grammatical error, and claims 17-24 have been added. Examination of the application on the merits is respectfully requested.

If there are any matters which may be resolved or clarified through a telephone call, the Examiner is cordially invited to contact the undersigned. This is believed to be a complete and proper response to the Examiner's restriction requirement.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Kevin D. Martin", is written over a horizontal line.

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